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PRICE TWO CENTS.

QUICK HITCH TO HOLD OVER

City Council Have a Busy Short Session and Transact Considerable Business.

The Mayor and City Council held a short meeting on Thursday evening, the meeting being called at 7.30 and adjourned early as the Mayor and City Clerk wished to attend a dance in Dover.

The business transacted was:

Petitions.
The Col. Side Engine Co., No. 2, asked through their clerk that a new flag staff be erected at their house as the old one had rotted away. It was referred to the committee on City lands and buildings.

Resolutions.
The usual resolution to authorize the committee on finance to bring suits and adjust delinquent taxes was passed.

A resolution authorizing the city auditor to ask for estimates on the printing the city annual reports, said reports to include the pictures of the city officials, was passed without a dissenting vote.

More Petitions.
The petition of James Warburton

and others for an incandescent light on Brewster street was referred to the committee on street lights to report.

A similar petition signed by Mrs. Nellie May and others for an incandescent light on Melbourne street was referred to the committee on street lights to report.

Odum and Company were granted permission to hang a gas illuminated sign from the Fleet street side of Freeman's block.

Sherburne Avenue and Water Funds

A bill of Ed. H. McNabb and company for \$16.98 for services in repairing a set of steps to a house on Sherburne avenue was explained by the mayor, who said that when the grade was cut down it was agreed that the city should have the dirt, and that they should pay for the extra steps that would be required by one house to get down to the street level. It was referred to the committee on claims for further investigation.

A resolution authorizing the board

of public works to use \$600 of the water funds to pay bills of 1909 was passed.

Want Snowplow and Ash Team

Councilman Leary offered an amendment to the ordinance governing highways, by which the district was extended on Islington street to beyond the Shalloworth farm. Councilman Leary explained that there was a large number of houses beyond the Button factory and last year a considerable sidewalk had been put in, but that it could not be used during the winter as the snowplows never came out to that section, and if the change was made it would mean snowplows used and the collection of ashes at least once a month. It would not be very expensive, but give the people of that district something for their taxes. The rules were suspended and the ordinance passed its several readings.

Wanted Hook and Ladder in Quick Hitch.

Chairman Trafton of the committee on fire department offered an amendment to chapter 16, section 2, of the revised ordinances, making the hook and ladder truck with driver a part of the quick hitch.

At the request of Councilman Leary Mr. Trafton explained that the increased cost would be the pay of a permanent driver and a new pair of horses the latter to cost possibly \$600. Councilman Leary was opposed to any further increase in the expenses of the city. He figured that this would mean at least an expense of \$1800 and that would be an increase

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KITTERY LETTER

A Sleighing Party Went to York

Doings of the Lodges at the Village

Yerkes Family Goods Sent to Lynn, Mass.

Moving of Charles Manson and Family to New Home

Kittery, Me., Feb. 11.
Kittery correspondent's telephone 295-5.

There was a regular meeting of the Rebekah Lodge on Thursday evening in 'Odd Fellows' Hall after which there was a rehearsal for the coming minstrel show.

Gile, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Ford, has been sick for the past week.

The local schools are having their annual mid year examinations.

Mrs. Eugene Dodge of Newmarket street, delightfully entertained her Bridge club this afternoon.

A little sand on the sidewalk along where the principal stores are would be greatly appreciated by the many who are obliged to travel that way each day.

Reports from Mrs. Ira Keene of the Intervene, who on Monday underwent surgical treatment at a hospital in Malden, are most encouraging.

There are rumors that there is to be a regular Girls Basket Ball team at Traut academy.

There will be a regular rehearsal of the Choral Society held in the vestry of the Second Christian church tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Wakefield of Syracuse, N. Y., were visitors in town on Thursday.

Mr. Edward Bowker of Stinson street is still restricted to his home by illness.

Mrs. Frank E. Donnell of Central street returned home Thursday from a three days' visit to her sister in Portsmouth.

Miss Mary Safford of Wentworth street is improving rapidly from her recent severe illness.

Many are anticipating the Knights of Pythias Ladies' night, to be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 15 in Wentworth Hall.

Many preparations are being made for the Alumni to be held Feb. 21.

Piscataqua Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Mrs. George Damon of Government street is very ill.

Washington's Birthday exercises are being prepared by the schools.

Mrs. Ida Manson, who has been restricted to her home on Echo street the past week by illness is improving.

Miss Seavey will not conduct her afternoon dancing class this week, but the dancing assembly in the evening will be held as usual.

Miss Mildred Donnell entertained

her friend, Miss Talbot of Eliot, two days this week.

Concerning Portsmouth Toll Bridge

Recently certain communications in regard to the abolition of tolls upon Portsmouth bridge have appeared in Boston papers, from the tenor of which it has apparently been inferred in some quarters that the county commissioners on the Maine side of the river were not sufficiently awake to the occasion. All persons justly considering toll bridges as wholly archaic in this year of grace 1910, are invited to peruse the following abstract from the Maine statutes bearing upon the matter. Our commissioners appreciate the situation fully, and it is clearly within their power to free the Maine end of the bridge, but the question naturally arises, of what avail would that be if travel is to be held for tolls at the other end? Portsmouth would undoubtedly be the chief gain or by the freeing of the bridge, and as a preliminary move towards accomplishing the desired result, it seems to be up to our New Hampshire friends to straightway get busy and enact a law similar in effect to the one herewith appended.

State of Maine, Chap. 179. An Act to provide a way to free Toll Bridges. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives assembled, as follows:

Section 1. The county commissioners of any county in which a toll bridge exists, or may hereafter be located, are hereby authorized to lay out, a county road across any toll bridge and approaches thereto in their county upon petition therefor, after notice and hearing in the manner required by the general laws of the state regulating the laying out of highways. Such petitions shall bear the signatures of not less than twenty tax payers, qualified voters of said county, representing that the bridge is necessary to the accommodation of public travel, and praying that the same shall be taken as a county bridge. The damages for laying out said highway shall be ascertained, determined and paid in the same manner as in taking land for highways, and persons and corporations aggrieved shall have the same rights of appeal to be enforced in the same manner as in the case of highways.

Section 2. In the event that the county commissioners shall decide to make said bridge a county bridge, said commissioners may for the purpose of defraying the cost or damages for the taking and repairs of said bridge, maintain the same for a period not exceeding six years as a toll bridge, if, in their opinion such is necessary, and for the best interests of the county. All money received for tolls after such taking shall be set aside as fast as accumulated, together with interest and accretions, and shall constitute a sinking fund for the payment of any bonds issued or other indebtedness incurred by the county for damages or expenses in taking said bridge.

Section 3. For the foregoing purposes, as soon as the county commissioners have laid out a public way across said toll bridge, and paid the damages therefor as in the case of highways, and abolished the tolls thereof, they may apportion not exceeding one-third of the sum so expended or damages aside from the tolls received, among the several towns benefited, having regard also for their valuation and circumstances whether such shall be within or partly within the boundaries of such town or not, and thereafter such bridge and its approaches shall be public highway, and shall be kept safe and convenient for public travel by said commissioners and maintained by the county free of toll.

Section 4. When a petition is presented respecting a toll bridge in two counties, the same shall have the signature of at least twenty qualified persons in each county. The commissioners receiving the petition may call a meeting of the commissioners of both counties as provided by the Revised Statutes, Chap. 23, Sect. 12, and they shall proceed in the manner provided for in the case of ways in two or more counties. Damages shall be apportioned between the two counties in proportion to their last estate valuation prior to such location, and among the several towns in the manner provided in the preceding section. Approved March 28, 1907.

Kittery Point

Kittery Point correspondent's telephone 297-5.
Barge "Easton," with coal from New York, is at the coal wharf of J. Chester Curtis.

The condition of Augustus Tobey remains practically unchanged. He is able to be about the house, but rarely ventures out of doors.

Jon. Horace Mitchell will on Saturday attend the banquet of the Lincoln club held at the Lafayette House in Portland.

Albert K. Knowlton of Boston was in town Thursday on business con-

JAMES E. HALL AGAIN IN NAVAL PRISON

Officers from Rochester, N. Y., Brought Him Back This Morning

James E. Hall, the naval prisoner who made the bogus confession to the effect that he murdered Anna Schumacher at Rochester, N. Y., whereby he gained a dishonorable discharge from the navy, was returned today by the civil authorities to the commandant of the Portsmouth navy yard by Deputy Sheriff Frank Hawley and John H. Pollock of Monroe county, New York.

The officers arrived with Hall at 9.45 a. m. from Boston and went to the yard with the prisoner on the 10.15 trip of the ferry. Hall was not so kippy as the day he left Portsmouth with Sheriff Gillett and refused absolutely to say anything about his troubles.

The sheriffs made very little talk on the matter simply stating they were tired of the whole mess and glad to get the man off their hands. It's a question now as to what will

be done with Hall by the navy authorities. Had he sworn to his confession of the murder he could have been held at Rochester for perjury, but as they had nothing to hold him they again put the matter up to the navy department which decided to place him under arrest and compel him to serve the remainder of his sentence for fraudulent enlistment.

Further action will depend on the action of the department at Washington which may order a court martial hearing with the result that Hall may go to the naval prison for a term of five years. Hall is a sadly disappointed man over his failure to gain his freedom and the only satisfaction attached to the whole scheme was that he caused a good expense to the civil and federal authorities with this phoney story.

The Rochester officers start for their home in western New York this afternoon.

EVENTS OF ELIOT

New Books for the Town's Public Library

The Lowest Tide This Morning in Many Years

Eliot, Me., Feb. 11.

The Eliot Library association executive committee met at the William Fogg library on Thursday evening and voted to buy some new books. The old fund of the association and accrued interest amounts to about \$3,300 and the excess over \$3,000 is to be used for the purchase. Some of the old books are to be replaced and possibly some binding or other repairing will be arranged to be done in connection with the purchase. The purchasing committee consists of the treasurer, Dr. John M. Willis; the librarian, Mrs. Charles E. Foye; and the secretary, Miss Elizabeth M. Bartlett. It was also voted that the interest of the \$3,000 fund be annually used for book purchase.

Alonso and Benjamin Bowden have received notice of the death of their mother in Ellsworth. She has visited them here and was liked by the people whom she met in this town. The first car for the ferry landing got off the iron near Greenwood street this morning, on account of some ice on the rail, and some people were either late to their work or else walked.

The lowest tide in many years was seen this morning. Not only Dooling Rock was well out of water, but Eickering's ledge was plainly visible. F. A. Staples states that in all the years he has lived alongside the river Fick-

ering's ledge has been out of water only two or three times.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Dixon have returned from a long visit with their children, Dr. E. H. Dixon of White Plains, N. Y., and Mrs. Charles McPhail of Somerville, Mass.

\$60,000 FOR PEPPERRELL COVE WORK

Washington, Feb. 11.—Two important new projects for Maine are provided for in the rivers and harbors bill. For Pepperrell cove an item of \$60,000 is allowed, and for Stockton harbor, Penobscot bay, \$88,000.

The bill leaves the continuing improvement of Boston harbor to the sundry civil bill on which the appropriations committee has not yet begun work. The sundry civil bill will carry \$1,000,000 for the improvement of that harbor, under authority of a former bill and the project altogether, including the \$1,000,000 to be appropriated this year, will cost \$4,600,000.

DROPPED DEAD

Stephen Gillette of the Elwyn Road, Aged Seventy-four.

Stephen Gillette dropped dead this forenoon at the home of his son, Kenneth Gillette, on the Elwyn road. Deceased was aged seventy-four years and was a native of Newfoundland.

THE WEATHER

Friday night and Saturday—Cloudy and cool, probably followed by snow.

AT THE STAPLES STORE

Saturday After Supper Sale, Commencing at 6 O'clock.

Another Sale of Children's White Lawn Aprons, with Shoulder Straps and Bibs, regular price 25c, 39c and 50c—After Supper Price—10c Each.

Long White Muslin Curtains with Hemstitched Ruffle—After Supper Price—24c

High Cut White Wave Envelopes, made from good heavy paper and well finished, regular price 5c, for this sale, per package—2c

Ladies' Grey and White Seersucker Gingham Petticoats, sizes 38, 40 and 42—After Supper Price—48c

Children's Leather Wrist Bags, in Black or Brown—In After Supper Sale—10c

Ladies' Fleeced Lined Flannel Wrappers, Black, Navy and Gray with White Figures, sizes 34, 36, 40, 42 and 44, regular price up to \$1.50—79c

Children's White Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—After Supper Price each—2c

Children's Jersey Corset Waists, in all sizes—After Supper Price, each—10c

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DOVER DOINGS

Dover, Feb. 11.—Owing to the jury in the case of Sylvia Marhat against Jensen N. Bean being out, superior court was adjourned till Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The jury on the case in question after being out nearly twenty-four hours came in at four o'clock Thursday afternoon and reported that they had failed to agree on a verdict and they were then discharged. The suit was brought to recover damages alleged to have resulted to the plaintiff from a simple assault.

A number of prisoners indicted by the grand jury were brought over from the jail and formally arraigned. The respondents who appeared were John Moreau and Frank Hurd, for whom Lawyer Foote appeared as counsel and filed a motion to quash the indictments against his clients; Frank Vangeas, Arthur, William and Bert Peters, Lewis Valliers and Walter Stewart, Adolphus Thibault, Fred Chapman, William Cowen and Fred Moore, John Rogers, Michael O'Donnell, Joseph Moore, Patrick Driscoll and John Clancy, Harry Hillings, Joseph Sullivan, Daniel Sheehan, Michael Stanton, two counts, O. D. Berton, Frank Lindsey, Sarah Lindsey, and Ralph Bennett. All with the exception of Bennett pleaded not guilty. Bennett is a young lad, who was arraigned on information concerning breaking and entering. Lawyer Cochran entered a plea of not guilty and a personal recognizance in the sum of \$300 was made.

The following naturalization cases have been heard: William G. Montford of Dover. He was admitted. George Martin of Rochester was admitted. Joseph Richard of Rochester. The court ordered the case dismissed without prejudice, owing to one of the witnesses not having known him for five years. Theodore Philopoulos of Dover admitted. Joseph Porter of Dover was admitted. Anthony C. Bennett of Dover was admitted. Richard A. Chilton of Dover was admitted.

The death of John H. Clontman, an esteemed citizen, occurred on Thursday at his home on Maple street at the age of 76 years, 6 months and 21 days. Besides a widow he is survived by two sons, Charles A. and Ralph B., both of Dover.

Major Waldron Council, Royal Arcanum, observed its annual ladies' night on Thursday evening in the city opera house, and the affair, like all previous events, was a signal social success. The affair was restricted to members of the order and a few invited guests. The committee in charge spared neither trouble nor money to make the affair a success, which it proved to be. From 8 to 9 o'clock the guests were entertained with a concert program. The grand march was taken up, led by

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LET'S HAVE THE TEAM

Talk of Boston and Maine Organizing for Bowling

There is some lively talk on forming a bowling team at the Portsmouth station of the Boston and Maine railroad to meet other teams among the employees at different stations on the system.

There is no doubt but Portsmouth can produce the goods for such a team and with such fast men as G. B. Wallace, Henry Toner, George Scott, Paul B. McCarthy and others who have done good work on the alley the out of town men would have their hands full to get away with anything on a local Boston and Maine team.

Theatrical Topics.

"The Boston Belle"

Not since the days of "Charlie's Aunt" has anything appeared to compare with the delightful comedy of "The Boston Belle" which is correctly advertised as being a furiously funny musical extravaganza. This piece is replete with mirth provoking situations, plenty of pretty girls, tuneful musical numbers, picturesque scenery, elaborate costumes and funny comedians. The story of the play is as follows:

Miss Gertrude Van Austin has eloped with August Summer, Jr., to get married they arrived at Somers, Mass., and are surprised to discover their parents at the hotel. The parents have also eloped to get married and complications follow thick and fast.

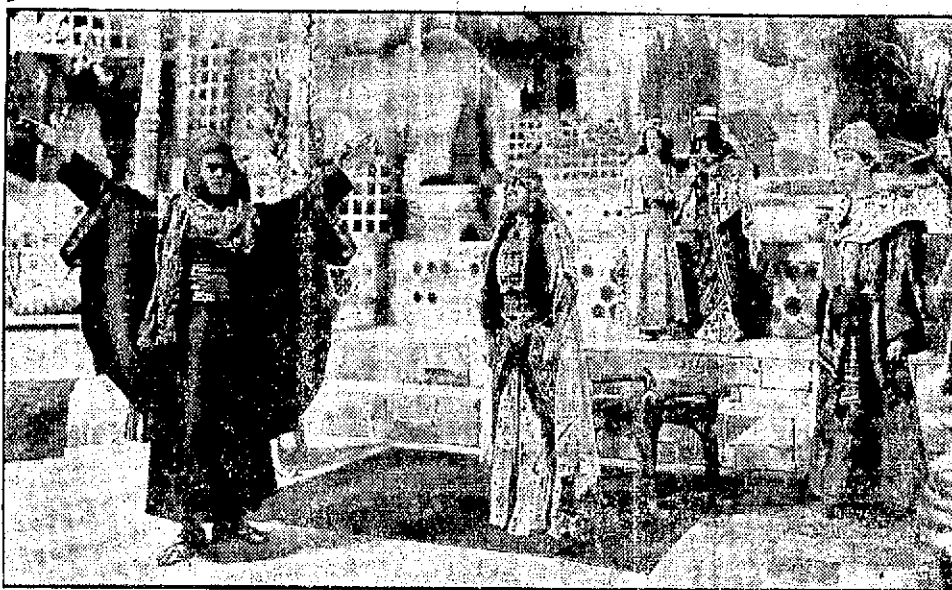
General Delivery has just married Mrs. Cobb a widow. He is surprised to learn that his wife has several husbands and that their all disappeared very mysteriously. He becomes a hopeless wreck and lives in horror of being poisoned. Shortly afterward they all imagine themselves poisoned and many exasperatingly funny incidents follow. Many bright and clever numbers are introduced among them being the song hits, "General Delivery," "Tottie," "Whirling," "I'll be there with the bells on, Noble Reds, Mera, Dreaming Brother Caruso, etc. Watch for this company, Phil Ott's Comedians, and remember, they have no Rivals.

This is one of the pieces given by Phil Ott's Comedians, which will be at Blaise (111) three evening and two matinees beginning next Monday evening, Feb. 14.

Ben Hur at Boston Theatre

Klaw & Erlanger's new and greater production of General Lew Wallace's masterpiece, "Ben Hur," a tale of Christ, will inaugurate a limited season at the Boston Theatre on Monday evening, Feb. 14.

When the curtain is drawn at the Boston Theatre on Monday evening, Feb. 14, the most elaborate, magnificent and historically correct production will be disclosed that has ever charmed and enthralled a theatre audience. It will be the premiere in



SCENE FROM THE FIRST ACT OF "BEN HUR."

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As now arranged and staged by Klaw & Erlanger the public sees a great spectacle which appeals not merely on the strength of its dramatic values but as a colossal and picturesque pageant. And in the chariot race, the scene which coupled with the popularity of General Wallace's book, gave the play its enormous vogue, twenty horses, aided by the

New England.

The exhibition will be open to the public on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at 8 o'clock continuing for one week closing at 10:30 Wednesday evening, Feb. 23.

REGISTERED NURSES

Long List Reported by State Board of Examiners

Concord, Feb. 11.—The state board of nurse examiners, have recommended the following names to the registrar for registration:

Edith H. Alfred, May C. Church, Mary T. Durling, Mary H. Klineen and Ellen C. Matthews, Manchester. Grace E. Allen, Keene. Rachel M. Arthur, Franklin. Catherine M. Baldwin, Keene. Phyllis L. Durdell, Gorham. Susanna H. Becker, Keene. Annie L. Beede, Whitefield. Vera M. Bogie, Exeter. Rosa M. Campbell, Whiteface. Sarah B. Chapman, Dover. Harriet E. Converse, Concord. Margaret Currie, Keene. Nellie Doherty, Exeter. Nellie F. Drake, North Hampton. Julia R. Elliott, Lyme. Mary B. Gann, Mollie, Marsh, Keene. Ethel M. Haskell, Hanover. Eugenie H. Melancon, Keene. Margaret P. Henderson, Exeter. Bertha M. Hopkins, Hanover. Olivia M. Johnson, Whitefield. Mary E. Jordan, Hanover. Florence H. Kerry, Keene. Marion J. Kirby, Concord. May E. Knight, New London. Helen M. Higgins Leonard, Hanover. Harriet D. Lloyd, Lakeport. Margaret A. Long, Josephine. A. Cleveland, Grace E. McLelland, Mabel C. McNutt, Edith D. Maynard. Annie F. Simeoneau, Fitzwilliam. Bessie Miller, Concord. Myrtle E. Miller, Manchester. Addie M. Moore, Goffstown. Mary R. S. Morgan, Grafton. Glenna M. G. Morrow, Concord. Mary P. O'Donnell, Littleton. Daphne W. Perkins, Lebanon. J. Winifred Pratt, Keene. Eliza Roberts Ella M. Sanborn, Concord. Annie M. Simeoneau, Fitzwilliam. Annie M. Thompson, Little R. Thompson, Keene. Jeanette P. White, Hampton.

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Tuesday evening and Wednesday
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Lighthouse tender Geranium was sold to Thomas Towle a few weeks ago after forty-six years' service for the government. It is thought that the "Old Maid" has a good chance to remain on top of the water for a few more years.

BUILD BIG NAVY OIL TANKS

Newport, R. I., Feb. 11.—Civil Engineer James W. G. Walker, U. S. Navy, is staking off ground at the Providence coal station for the erection of 15 oil tanks for oil fuel to be used by the navy. The tanks will have a capacity of 1,000 gallons each, while the others will have a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons of oil.

With a sudden shift of the wind to the northwest the temperature on Thursday took a drop and at midnight last night it was 15 above.

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Half a Dozen Have Nothing the Matter With Them

LUNATICS IN LAW'S EYES

Superintendent Lamb Complains That He Has No Authority to Inform Court of His Opinion and Unfortunate Must Remain in Institution Year After Year—Thinks Question is a Most Important One

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 11.—That there are more than half a dozen men not insane incarcerated in the Matteawan hospital who have nothing the matter with them. He added, however, that Harry Thaw was not one of the "notable criminals" referred to by Lamb.

"A skilled psychiatrist," Lamb asserts, "might have examined any of these men on the day of admission and found no symptoms of actual mental disease. He might have made continual examinations at any time during their residence at the hospital; his results would have been equally negative."

Dr. Lamb contends that he should either have the right to inform the court of his opinion as to whether the man is insane or not or the court itself should make supplemental inquiry relative to the patient. He says:

"In the eyes of the law these men are lunatics, but the hospital physicians detect no actual lunacy and we know they are not insane, yet, as superintendent, I am not provided by any provision of law with the authority to inform the court of my opinion and the poor devils stay here year in and year out."

"To secure a court action in such a case, where it is necessary to certify that recovery is complete, the assumption is that an actual change has taken place—something which in fact is not so."

Dr. Lamb takes the stand that the question is an important one and that his position should be either strengthened or destroyed. He believes he should have the right to inform the court of his opinion as to whether the man is insane or not. In concluding his report Lamb asks:

"What disposition shall be made of these cases?"

WED, KISS AND SEPARATE

Unusual Action of Newly Married Couple After the Knot is Tied

Brockton, Mass., Feb. 11.—Mystery surrounds the strange agreement made by a young couple who were made man and wife here by City Clerk Packard.

No sooner was the marriage ceremony over than the newly-weds kissed one another and solemnly promised each other to separate at once, meet in this city in one year and be remarried by a Jewish rabbi.

The couple are Joseph Swartzberg, a real estate owner, and Miss Lena Moskovitz, a milliner of New York city.

The young bride hastened to the railroad station to catch a train for New York, while Swartzberg retraced his steps toward his home. He declined to give a reason for the mysterious and sudden separation.

KILLS TWO FOR \$60 DEBT

Jealous Man Confesses Slaughtering a Woman and Her Husband

Cleveland, Feb. 11.—Jealousy made more furious when the husband of the woman he loved refused to aid the woman in returning \$60 she had borrowed of him. Induced George Boscardo to slay John Janowski and his wife, Barbara, in their home last Sunday, according to a confession which the police say Boscardo made.

Boscardo was arrested a few hours after the finding of the bodies in the bedroom of the Janowski home yesterday. The slaying had gone undetected since Sunday.

BENNET FOR GOVERNOR

Boom For Congressman as Hughes' Successor Will Soon Be Launched

New York, Feb. 11.—Following Governor Hughes' declaration made recently for the second time that he will not consider a renomination, friends of Congressman Bennett advocate his nomination for governor by the Republicans next fall.

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Byrnes flatly refused to admit that the New Haven had violated the laws of the commonwealth, and pleaded for sanity in handling the great transportation problem, while he promised that if given a chance the New Haven would spend \$50,000,000 in ten years, and that in fifteen years would be lighting by electricity every town and city through which it passed.

Byrnes said that the New Haven wanted to operate trolleys, steamships, use water power and furnish light and power. He said that it was a step backward not to permit the company to do what it can do more cheaply than anybody else.

HOLDS OVERDUE NOTE

Newton Man Brings Suit Against Town of Framingham for \$25,000

Boston, Feb. 11.—A suit for \$25,000 against the town of Framingham was started in the United States circuit court by John P. Bentley of Newton in an action to recover on one of the notes connected with the defalcation of John B. Lombard as town treasurer.

The note is for \$15,000 and is seven months overdue. It is said to have been purchased by Bentley from Charles M. Cummings, who assisted Lombard in his alleged fraudulent transactions, and who is now serving a sentence of five to eight years in prison.

A writ of attachment returnable Feb. 20 has been served on the town for \$25,000.

AIMS A HARD BLOW AT REACTIONARIES

Alfonso's New Cabinet More Radical Than the Old One

Madrid, Feb. 11.—The assumption of the premiership of Jose Canalejas the Radical and anti-clerical, has caused great surprise among the reactionaries, who had assumed that when Moret fell King Alfonso would institute a more moderate rather than a more radical regime.

The impression prevails that the king has outwitted the intrigues by boldly endorsing the government in Canalejas for the purpose of giving to the country a clear proof of his sincerity in the role of a constitutional sovereign.

The revision of the concordat of 1861 and the reduction in the number of religious orders will be a feature, it is expected, of the new cabinet policy.

UNPAID BILLS OF \$6714

That Amount Remains to Be Paid by Fitzgerald Campaign Committee

Boston, Feb. 11.—Mayor Fitzgerald or somebody connected with his campaign committee will yet have to dip into his pockets to the tune of \$6714.21 in order to settle the outstanding bills of that committee, which has spent all its money and still owes the above amount, according to a statement filed with the city clerk's office by the treasurer of the Fitzgerald campaign committee, John P. McDonald.

The total cost of the Fitzgerald campaign amounted to \$37,640.81, including the \$10,500 which it personally has cost the mayor to date.

Yesterday was the last day for filing statements of receipts and expenditures under the corrupt practices act, which gives political committees thirty days after an election to make their returns.

OFFICIAL "TRUST BUSTER"

Fowler Likely to Assume Position Just Vacated by Ellis

Washington, Feb. 11.—James A. Fowler of Knoxville is slated to succeed Wade H. Ellis as the official trust-buster of the Taft administration, according to information from high authority. Ellis has just resigned as assistant to the attorney general to take charge of the Republican campaign in Ohio.

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Count of Senators Shows a Majority of Eight

UNDER WHIP AND SPUR

Regarded by Party Leaders as Popular Offering to Discontented Middle West—Root to Offer Amendment to Cure Admitted Defect—How Measure Will Work When Postmaster General Puts it into Effect

Washington, Feb. 11.—A majority of eight votes is counted for the postal savings bank bill in the senate, consequently the leaders are giving assurance that the measure will go to the upper branch when friends and opponents are talked out. In the house the bill will be referred to the committee on postoffice and post roads, and as some doubt exists whether that committee will be found willing to report the bill, the plan is to call a Republican caucus and demand enactment of the measure.

The bill is going through under whip and spur not because a majority of congress believe it is wise or even needed legislation. It is regarded as the most popular offering congress can make to the discontented middle west, and the leaders are fearful that a failure to provide postal banks would add one more important indictment to the list which is being found against the party in the court of popular appeal.

From the economic point of view the bill is admittedly defective because it does not give precedence to a provision requiring that the deposits shall be used first for the purchase of government bonds. Unless the bill explicitly provides that this shall be the first use to be made of the money, it will meet with the powerful opposition of Senator Aldrich, whose plan of currency reform might be seriously embarrassed if the postal deposits were not made readily available for the retirement of the Panama 2 percents and perhaps other government securities. An amendment by Senator Root to cure this defect will be offered.

The amendment, of course, antagonizes the principal of the Carter bill, which provides that the money shall first be deposited in local banks. It is estimated, however, that if the deposits are forthcoming in any such volume as friends of the measure predict enough money will be received, not only to take care of the bonds, but to allow the western banks some generous droppings. The banks must pay 2 1/2 percent to the government and the government must pay the people 2 percent interest on deposits.

Under this measure, the postmaster general will designate as rapidly as consistent with good administration the money order offices as places for the receipt of savings deposits and he is empowered so to designate such other offices as he deems advisable.

There are approximately 50,000 money order postoffices, so that the postmaster general may at first restrict the depositaries to postoffices of the presidential grade, of which there are about 7000. Accounts may be opened by persons 10 years or more of age. Married women may have accounts free from interference by their husbands. No person can have more than one account. The minimum deposit which will be accepted is \$1. Interest is to be allowed at a rate not exceeding 2 percent per annum, an evidence of the intention of the government not to compete with local banks.

No account shall have a total credit exceeding \$500 exclusive of accumulated interest and not more than \$600 may be deposited in any one month. Withdrawals may be made under rules and regulations to be prescribed by a board of trustees.

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New York, Feb. 11.—Oliver S. Spitzer, former dock superintendent of the Williamsburg refinery of the sugar trust, who was found guilty of conspiring to defraud the government in the weighing of importations of sugar, was sentenced to serve two years in the federal prison in Atlanta, by Judge Martin, in the criminal branch of the United States circuit court.

"The sugar trust made a scapegoat of me. It deserved me absolutely, it pounded and ruined me after I served it faithfully for twenty-nine years," said Spitzer after sentence was pronounced. In broken tones Spitzer bitterly arraigned the sugar trust, saying that the government wanted a victim and he was given. He declared that he had to go to make those higher up safe, and denied that he had even the slightest knowledge of frauds at the docks.

ELOPED WITH ARMY MAN

Baroness De Forest Is Being Searched For by Her Husband

London, Feb. 11.—The world-wide search Baron Arnold de Forest is making for his wife has just revealed the fact that she eloped with Lieutenant Ashton of the Second Life Guards.

Plunkerton detectives are striving in every country to find the couple, giving much attention to Spain.

Ashton is a noted show horseman, popular in and out of the English army set, but very little is known of his acquaintance with the baroness. To those who have followed the career of the former Ethel Gerard her act is less amazing.

TEDDY, JR., ENGAGED TO SISTER'S CHUM

Son of Ex-President to Marry a New York Girl

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Kansas City, Feb. 11.—As a climax to the lengthy investigation of the mysterious death of Colonel Thomas H. Swope on Oct. 2, 1909, Dr. D. C. Hyde, husband of the late millionaire's niece, was arrested here, charged with the murder of the philanthropist.

The warrant upon which the arrest was made was issued at the request of Attorney Paxton, executor of the Swope estate, with the endorsement of the prosecutor. Murder in the first degree is charged. The warrant says that Hyde, with felonious intent administered strychnine to Swope on the day of his death.

Dr. Hyde submitted to arrest without demanding to hear the warrant read. From here the party went to Independence, Mo., where Hyde was arraigned before Justice Loar. The physician pleaded not guilty.

He was released on a bond of \$50,000. His preliminary hearing was set for Feb. 17.

Prosecutor Conkling originally planned to have the bond fixed at \$25,000. But Hyde's attorneys had arranged for a \$50,000 surety and as they expressed a willingness to give this amount it was accepted.

The calmest man in the justice's office in Independence was Hyde. While attorneys were busy making out the papers in the case, he sat near County Marshal Mayes, who made the arrest, and read a paper, describing the developments in the case. As soon as the bond was accepted Hyde hurried home in an automobile.

By dismissing his libel suit for \$60,000 against Attorney Paxton, Dr. Frank L. Hall and Dr. Edward J. Stewart, Hyde removed himself from the range of the attorneys who have been using every legal means known to them to get his depositions in the case. One suit for \$100,000 is still pending against Paxton. It alleges slander.

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"I see no reason for making Peary a rear admiral," said Roberts. "He is a civilian officer of the navy and I am unable to understand why it is any more

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POLITICAL ADVERTISING

At the midwinter meeting of the New Hampshire Weekly Publishers association its members agreed upon a minimum charge for political advertising both display and reading matter, and as we understand it agreed to make such charge for all political announcements.

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"It is not a new idea in other parts of the country and has worked well in Massachusetts, New York and elsewhere. From such forecast as it is possible to make of the working of the new direct primary law, it seems that it will make necessary some such regulation of publicity as this and the weekly publishers have done well to take early action in the matter."—Concord Monitor.

The Weekly Publishers' Association is simply applying up-to-date business principles and the dailies can adopt the same with profit.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

A Republican Opportunity

As the Star stated the other day, the Republicans should be glad of the opportunity to extend to the tariff the inquiry into the high prices of foodstuffs. This is the time for it. The taking up of the matter now will enable them to get in line on the contentions of the opposition as respects the operations of the Payne law and to prepare their reply for use in the congressional campaign. It is a subject not to be dodged or treated lightly, for it is of general concern and discussion. There may be localities indifferent to what Theodore Roosevelt will do when he returns, or what has become of Dr. Cook, or what reforms will be instituted in the British House of Lords, but nowhere are the people indifferent to the price of beefsteak, or lacking in curiosity as to what has recently made the dinner table the dearest spot on earth.—Washington Star.

Respect Our National Tune

What seems to have been forgotten in adopting the military custom is the fact that in the army the national air is not played except on occasions of formal ceremony, so there is good reason for standing, and for uncovering if out of doors. It has to do with the flag itself. But at a public dinner, or the theatre, or some place where there is an orchestra, the appearance of "The Star Spangled Banner" means simply that the composer of one of those atrocities called "medleys" has "worked in" the "Star Spangled Banner" along with various rag-time productions, and that the performers, most of whom perhaps cannot speak the language, have decided to "foot and serape" that particular "number." So along comes the national air as an interruption, and

the men rise as an annoyance, and a bore and a nuisance.

If the army there are orders that no "medley" shall be played by regimental bands that contains "The Star Spangled Banner." The playing of that air is left for occasions of ceremony where there is good reason for everybody to stand. Just such an order should be issued by the managers of all public entertainments. The national air at an appropriate and expected time is an appropriate and suitable event at every public gathering, just as prayer by a clergyman is appropriate and edifying. But if we are to rise to the national anthem, to play it unexpectedly in a medley is as in appropriate as would be "let us pray" by a comedy sketch team in the midst of their act.—Brooklyn Standard Union.

LITERARY NOTES

Camp on Football

Mr. Camp's third article on football in his "American Sports" series is entitled "An All-Time All-American Football Team" and in it he records for readers of the February Century his choice of an ideal team made up from all the teams which year by year he has previously selected—a choice which is likely to stir wide interest and discussion. Mr. Camp in this article faces frankly the current criticism of the game and advocates further reform in the sport.

Scribner's Locomotive Papers

Scribner's Magazine for February has as a frontispiece a striking picture in colors of a modern locomotive running at great speed. It is one of several accompanying an article which describes the life of a modern engineer, by the artist, William Harnden Foster.

The Mood of Great Britain

The liberal majority in the House of Commons has been so unusual that nobody in Great Britain doubted it must at this election be cut down somewhat, reaction seeming to be as necessary a quality of human nature as of the mechanical universe. The results indicate that there is no chance of the British taking up the principle of protection at present. They also indicate that taxation must hereafter fall upon the rich in greater part than it has fallen heretofore. As to the House of Lords, it seems very possible that it may have a chance to assist in its own reform rather than being subjected to any violent alteration against its consent. The development of constitutional government is and should be gradual; but the opinion given by the English electorate is sufficiently decisive to show that the outcome must be in the direction of democracy.—Editorial in Colliers' for January 29.

The March Smart Set

Duffield Osborne contributes to the March Smart Set a Zendaesque novel of American lovers and Sicilian brigands that is full of spice and ginger. The plot moves rapidly from the start. An American girl is shipped off to Europe to avoid the attentions of a suitor whose finances do not measure up to the standard set by her ambitious mother. It is arranged that the favored author shall sail on the same ship. The discredited aspirant, however, invites himself to join the party—unofficially and when the real adventure comes there is a force adventure between the two as to which shall be first at the rescue. "Third Hand High" this latest work of Mr. Osborne's makes extremely interesting reading.

CAPT. W. S. SECOCOMBE

Peterboro, N. H., Feb. 11.—Capt. William S. Secombe aged 67, for many years a commander of Cunard liners, died here on Thursday. During the Spanish war he commanded the auxiliary ships Glacier and Celtic. His last command was the Cunarder Cephalonia. Capt. Secombe leaves a widow and ten children.

Business is booming at the shoe factory.

Emulsified Oil

When the doctor says you must take Cod Liver Oil he means Emulsified Oil and not the crude oil which is very heavy and hard to digest.

Scott's Emulsion is the world's standard preparation of Cod Liver Oil; it is very easily digested and immediately absorbed, and will not upset the stomach like the crude or plain oil.

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Read this, name of paper and this all for my beautiful living back and child's health. Book, Emulsion contains Good Luck Penny. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., N. Y.

A TIMELY TOPIC.

J. W. ORISON SWETT MARDEN
In Success Magazine

A Minute Here and a Minute There.

IT is really wonderful how much can be gained by improving odds and ends of time in keen, analytical observing, thinking, reading, studying. Think of the untold wealth locked up in the spare moments and long winter evenings of every life. It is possible to pick up an education in the odds and ends of time which most people throw away.

If those who have been deprived of a college education would only make up their minds to get a substitute for it, they would be amazed to see what even the evenings of a few weeks devoted conscientiously to the college studies would accomplish.

When a noted literary man was asked how he managed to accomplish so much with so little friction or apparent effort, he replied, "By organizing my time. To every hour its appointed task or duty, with no overlapping or infringements."

There is a great deal of time wasted even in the busiest lives, which, if properly organized, might be used to advantage.

PORTSMOUTH LICENSES

The Burke and Brown Cases Heard on Thursday

Concord, Feb. 11.—Hearings were given on Thursday by the license commissioners on the complaints entered by Special Agent G. Scott Locke against Denis D. Burke of Vaughan street and Edmund Brown of 116 Islington street, Portsmouth. Both complaints charged the respondents with making false statements in their applications for licenses.

The case of Denis D. Burke was called first. He entered a plea of guilty. P. E. Webster, the clerk of the license board produced Burke's application for a license showing the applicant's sworn statement that he was the sole owner of the business at 3 Vaughan street. Burke admitted that he did and never did own part of the business at that place. It was owned by Michael P. Morrissey, and as he was employed as bartender when Mr. Morrissey bought the place, as a favor and because of their friendship of several years duration he took out the license in his own name. He knew Morrissey could not lawfully take out the license. Burke said that he had been employed by Morrissey for some three years at \$14 a week, but left last August to run a place of his own that he bought from Morrissey. The license at this latter place was in Brown's name. Michael P. Morrissey was called to the stand. Under questioning by Special Agent Locke he told the board that he bought the saloon at 6 Vaughan street from a man named Titus on March 25, 1908, and that he had the license transferred to Burke, as the latter was to be his bartender. Burke was not paid anything for taking out the license. Morrissey said he had taken out his first naturalization papers and expected to get his full papers in April. He had lived in Portsmouth nine years, coming there from Ireland. The case was taken under consideration by the board.

The complaint against Edmund Brown, was then taken up. This case was similar to that against Burke. The license at 110 Islington street, Portsmouth, has been exercised in Brown's name although Denis D. Burke, the respondent in the first case, is said to be the real owner of the place. Mr. Webster, the clerk, gave testimony similar to that in the previous case and Brown entered a plea of guilty. Brown on the stand said that when he signed the application for a license out of friendship for Morrissey, he did not realize he was breaking the law. His own business was that of a cigar manufacturer and he was not in any way connected with the liquor trade. He knew that Mr. Morrissey was not a citizen and so could not exercise a license, but said he did not think the application was illegal. He did not even bother to read the application, as he was busy when asked to step out to an attorney's office and sign the paper, the whole business taking less than 15 minutes.

Mr. Burke, the owner of the place, was called to the stand and testified that last August he bought the saloon on Islington street from Morrissey, paying him \$178 in cash for the stock in trade and fixtures. He did not buy the license, but had been paying \$50 a month for the use of it. This case was also taken under consideration.

VISITORS AT PAROCHIAL RESIDENCE

Rev. Fathers O'Brien of South Berwick and McGuinness of Sanford were guests of Rev. Father Edward J. Walsh, P. R., in this city on Thursday afternoon.

COLORED PEOPLE TO WED

A wedding of much importance to the colored residents of this city will be that of Fitzallen Williams and Miss Harriet Hector, which will occur on February 21.

Try the Herald for all the news of the day.

KITTERY LETTER

(Continued from page one.)

nected with the Lawyers' Incorporation and Transfer Company.

Rumor has it that the coming season will see a steamer running between here and Portsmouth upon the new basis of the accommodation and general satisfaction of passengers. It is the prevailing opinion that there is a legitimate business for a boat run upon such lines.

Corporations recently organized at the office of Hon. Horace Mitchell include the following: Healy Brothers Tailoring Company of Manchester, N. H.; capital \$100,000. Walpole Rubber Company of Walpole Mass.; capital \$1,000,000. Colburn Manufacturing company, Boston, Mass.; capital \$10,000. Narragansett Narrow Fabric Company, Pawtucket R. I.; capital \$10,000. The Rhode Island and Connecticut Heating Company; capital \$300,000.

Mrs. William Locke of Kittery spent Thursday with her son, Frank Locke.

Harry Roberts moved on Thursday into the Isaac Phillips house.

Hiram Tobey of Rye, who has been the recent guest of his son, Hiram Tobey, Jr., returned home in Thursday.

Mrs. Bertha Kimball visited in Portsmouth Thursday.

Charles Manson improved the fine weather of yesterday to move his household goods to the house of Morton Seawards.

Dr. Charles E. Johnston of Portsmouth is attending Howard Collins.

Fourteen teams are at work hauling ice for Phillips Brothers.

On Thursday George Kimball moved the effects of the Yerkes family from Spruce Creek to the cars at Navy Yard station, where they will be shipped to Lynn, Mass.

Most of the valuable nets belonging to Valentine Crowell and Thomas Crawley of the sloop "Myrtle Belle," which remained outside during the recent storm, have been recovered in recent storm, have been recovered in the River and Harbor Bill, now ready to be reported, is said to carry the sum of \$40,000,000 or about double the amount favored by the president. It looks as though the misguided man failed to realize that the fate of the nation depends upon having the mud scooped from Pepperell's Cove.

On Thursday evening George McCoy took a jolly sleighing party to York where a luncheon was enjoyed. The company consisted of Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy, Miss Lillian Russell, John the Baptist Russell, Miss Maude Moulton, Elroy Moulton, Mrs. Jane Lewis, Miss Carrie Colby, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Colby, Wallace Colby, Reginald Colby, Miss Minnie Moulton, Chester Colby.

The beaming smile of the coal man is once more in evidence.

Next to nothing doing in the harbor just at present.

Advice to Mothers: Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for Children's Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, and all the ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. It is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

GAYNOR "ANOTHER TILDEN"

New York, Feb. 11.—Mayor Gaynor is likely presidential timber in the eyes of some Missouri Democrats. He has received a letter, inviting him to attend a dinner in Springfield, Mo., on April 16, the 16th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, and the invitation indicated that he is looked upon in Missouri as the national leader of Democracy for 1912.

UNIFORMS FOR NATIONAL GUARD

Have Been Shipped to the New Hampshire Adjutant General

Concord, Feb. 11.—The invoices and bill of lading of ninety-nine cases of military supplies including the new dress uniforms and all equipment necessary to fit the National Guard for immediate field service have been received by Adjutant General Cilley announcing that the supplies have been shipped from the military depot in Philadelphia. The equipment will be issued to the men immediately upon receipt and it is expected that the various local commands will appear in dress uniform at the inspection in March.

NAVY ORDERS

Captain J. B. Milton from command the Pensacola naval training station, San Francisco and continue other duties.

Passed Assistant Paymaster E. M. Harker, to the Montgomery as pay officer.

Assistant Paymaster D. P. Rose, to the North Carolina for instruction. Assistant Paymaster M. C. Shirley, from the Montgomery to temporary duty navy yard, Mare Island, assistant to general storekeeper.

Arrived—Iris at San Diego, Rocket at Indian Head.

Sailed—Brutus, from Lambert Point for Boston; Marietta from Mobile for Tampa; Smith, from Charleston for Knight's Key; Arcturan, from Coronel for Rio de Janeiro; Marcellus, from Charleston for navy yard.

The destroyer Lamson commissioned at Philadelphia, and will proceed to Charleston, S. C. to join the seventh torpedo division of Atlantic torpedo fleet. The submarine Octopus placed in reserve at Charleston, S. C.

Marine Corps Orders

Captain T. F. Lyons, report to retiring board Washington barracks, for examination.

Capt. W. L. Jolly, to Philadelphia. Captain F. S. Wiltz, to New York navy yard, relieving first Lieutenant T. T. Volte of command marine detachment on the Rhode Island.

First Lieutenant A. B. Owens, to command detachment of marines for Philippines, sailing from San Francisco, Feb. 19.

First Lieutenant L. P. Pinkston and B. A. Leads from naval station, Honolulu, to first brigade marines, Manila.

Second Lieutenant C. W. Alger, from Boston to naval station, Guam.

Second Lieutenant E. A. Blair, from Boston to naval station, Honolulu.

Second Lieutenants G. H. Osterhouse and A. B. Miller, from Norfolk, Va., to first brigade marines, Manila.

Second Lieutenants H. C. Daniels and W. G. Emory, from navy yard, New York, to 1st brigade marines, Manila.

Second Lieutenant A. E. Simon, from naval academy, Annapolis, Md. to marine barracks, naval station, Guam.

Second Lieutenant H. L. Parsons.

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EXETER for PORTSMOUTH—7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 6.15, 8.15, 10.15 p. m.

*See Stratham car here only.

GUESTS OF DOVER COUNCIL

About sixty of the members and their ladies of Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, were the guests on Thursday evening, of the Major Waldron Council of Dover, the occasion being

their annual ladies' night. The members of the local council went up on a special train which left this city at 7.30 and arrived in Dover they were met by a delegation and escorted to the Opera House where a concert and dance was held. At midnight a banquet was served in the adjoining banquet hall, and dancing was continued until two o'clock, when the Portsmouth delegation started home. Everybody was delighted with the hospitality of the Dover council, and hope to return the favor on the occasion of their annual ladies' night here, on Thursday of next week.

FROM EXETER

Miss Rock Married Mr. Hayes

Two Funerals Thursday Afternoon

Academy Track Team is Not Going to Boston

Exeter, Feb. 11.—The wedding of Albion B. Hayes and Miss Grace Rock was performed on Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rock, at Brentwood. The groom is one of the well known young men of this town, and is the clerk at Wetherell's West End drug store. The bride is a graduate from Sunborn seminary at Kingston. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Clara Holt of Exeter, and the ceremony was performed under an arch of evergreen and roses. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edward Greer, pastor of the Unitarian church of this town. The bride was attired in champagne silk and carried orange blossoms. They were unattended. After a wedding tour to Washington, they will be at home here.

The first court case to be tried before Judge W. A. Plummer in superior court was that of Edward G. Towle against Joseph Peter, alias "Joe Pete," a Polish peddler, heard during Thursday. The action was a suit brought for the sum of \$100 for alleged injuries to a team which was hired by the defendant. It was alleged that the horse was injured, and also the sleigh damaged. It was tried during the morning session, when several witnesses were examined. Both parties are from this town. The decision was reserved.

The funeral services of Albert C. Buzell were held on Thursday afternoon at the late residence on Front street, conducted by the Rev. George H. Driver of the First Congregational church. The bearers were Prof. Albion Burbank, Gen. Albert N. Dow, Charles Flagg and Prof. W. A. Francis.

There are large congregations at the revivals which are being held at the Baptist church by Tyler and Smith. The meetings are to continue this week and next, on Sunday at 2 o'clock at the town hall, the Rev. Mr. Taylor is to hold a meeting for men only.

The musical club met Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Merrill at their residence on Main street. The out of town musicians were Carl Webster, cellist; and Mrs. Forrest, pianist, both of Boston.

Exeter will not send a relay team to the Boston Athletic association meet on Saturday evening, but will be represented by a fast aggregation of athletes. The relay team has not yet been selected, but Coach Connors intends to decide on the men next week for the relay team to represent the school at the New England interscholastic association on Feb. 26. Derby Crandall, one of the best hurdlers in school cannot compete, owing to conditions in studies.

The funeral services of Corene Changargo were held on Thursday afternoon at St. Michael's church. She was a resident of Candia and died here Wednesday while visiting relatives on Pleasant street.

DINNER TO PRESIDENT

Given on Thursday Evening by Navy Secretary Meyer

Washington, Feb. 11.—The secretary

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of the Navy and Mrs. Meyer gave a dinner on Thursday night in honor of the president. The president was accompanied by Mrs. Laughlin, Mrs. Taft's sister. The other guests were: The assistant secretary of the treasury, Mr. Norton; the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Winthrop, the Solicitor General and Mrs. Bowers Judge and Mrs. Lowell of Boston, Mrs. Longworth, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Mrs. Mrs. Robert Golet, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Ingersoll Philadelphia; Mrs. Townsend and Capt. Butt.

PARENTS' DAY

AT Y. M. C. A.

nsignia of Offices in "Gym" Squad Were Awarded

Thursday was Parents' day at the Young Men's Christian Association. It was also the time when the results of the contests for boy leaders in the gymnasium were announced. The exercises consisted of a dumbbell drill, marching, and apparatus work in all of which the boys showed up to good advantage and to the great delight of their parents.

At the close of the exercises Horace P. Montgomery, vice president of the association, addressed the boys and announced the results of the tests.

The averages are based on marks given for certain exercises on three places of apparatus, namely, the German horse, parallel bars and the elephant. All of the exercises are given to teach self control and coordination.

Many of the boys were new to the work and of course they have not received as high averages as others who have been longer in the gymnasium. The boys and their averages are as follows:

Willfred Hewitt, 92.
Earl Mooney, 89.
Leslie Leavitt, 88.5.
Ralph Barr, 88.
Edgar Crossman, 86.
Theodore Butler, 79.5.
Joseph Bussman, 78.
William Cleary, 75.5.
Philip Sanderson, 75.
George Shaw, 70.
George Horan, 68.
Roy Sugden, 67.
Wallace McWilliams, 66.5.
Charles Brackett, 60.
Daniel Davis, 64.5.
Howard Mott, 64.
Chester Conlon, 63.5.
John Shillaber, 63.
William Litchey, 62.
Morris Whitcomb, 62.
Bailey Emery, 60.
Fred Tibbets, 59.5.
Joseph Siosberg, 59.
Reginald Taylor, 54.
Willford Nay, 53.5.

The vice president then called from the line the following boys who were appointed as officers. Frank E. Leavitt, chairman of the physical department committee, pinned on each appointee his shoulder straps or chevrons as he stepped from the line.

Carl D. Hill, appointed as senior captain without examination, because of pre-eminent fitness.
Willfred Hewitt, captain.
Earl Mooney, Leslie Leavitt, Ralph Barr, Edgar Crossman, lieutenants.
Theodore Butler, Joseph Bussman, William Cleary, Philip Sanderson, sergeants.
George Shaw, George Horan, Roy Sugden, Wallace McWilliams, corporals.

The afternoon's program closed with games of basket ball.

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(Signed) John B. Harmon.
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DOVER AND PORTSMOUTH

Club of the Two Clubs to Meet in
Contests

A committee from the Warwick club have been appointed and will shortly go to Dover to arrange for the annual meeting of the club of this city and the Bellamy club of Dover in the following contests: Bowling, pool, billiards, whist and checkers, which will take place at Dover.

Good fresh Eggs, 30c doz at Cummings' Market.

B. & M. HAS WHIP HAND

Over Providence Scheme of the Grand Trunk Railway

Claremont, Feb. 11.—There appears to be a joker in the proposed plan to give the Grand Trunk railway another tide water outlet at Providence, R. I., through the construction of a new road from Palmer, Mass., to the Rhode Island capital. This is the opinion of railroad men in this section. The outline of the proposed plan has been read with considerable interest, especially that portion which relates to the handling of the traffic over the so-called Central Vermont line, between Montreal and Palmer.

Taking it for granted that the necessary permission will be secured ultimately, despite the known opposition of the New Haven management, through its control of the Boston and Maine and its leased lines, appears to hold a substantial checkmate on the carrying out of the proposition as at present outlined.

Starting from Montreal the through freight would come over the Grand Trunk proper to St. John, P. Q., a distance of 27 miles, at that point passing to the Central Vermont over which it would pass to Windsor, Vt., a distance of 15 miles. The only line of rails at present running south of Windsor is the Sullivan County railroad, a New Hampshire corporation, running through this town to Bellows Falls, Vt., a distance of 26 miles, where connection is made with another short line of 24 miles, known as the Vermont Valley, running to Brattleboro, Vt., where connection is made with the leased lines of the Central Vermont.

Both the Sullivan County and the Vermont Valley, although not leased outright to the Boston and Maine, are operated by that road under a business arrangement, and form a part of the Connecticut and Passumpsic division of that system. There is in effect a traffic arrangement between the Central Vermont and the Boston and Maine under which the entire line between Brattleboro and White River Junction, Vt., is utilized for the running of through trains by both systems, but that this arrangement is of such nature as to permit of the establishment of a rival line as indicated by the dispatch above referred to, is denied by men who are conversant with the present railroad situation.

TO BUILD ITALIAN WARSHIP

Boston, Feb. 11.—Following closely the victory of the Fore River ship-building company at Quincy in securing contracts for constructing the two dreadnoughts for the Argentine Republic, comes a cable message from Admiral Bowles, president of the Fore River company, to the effect that he has signed a contract with the Officine Meccaniche di Naples for the construction of six American type turbine engines.

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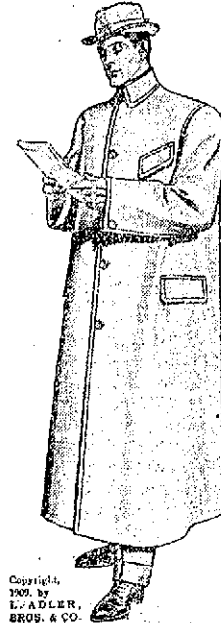
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Beach—7:40, 8:40 a. m., 1:40 then
hourly until 6:40 p. m.
Cars leave Hampton Beach for Whit-
tier's—7:50, 8:50 a. m., 1:50 then
hourly until 6:50 p. m.
Cars leave Whittier's for North Beach
connecting with cars for Rye Beach,
and Portsmouth—7:40, 8:40 a. m.,
1:40 then hourly until 6:40 p. m.,
2:40 p. m. trip to Life Saving Sta-
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The following interesting letter was
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U. S. Naval Prison, Navy Yard,
Portsmouth, N. H.
February 9, 1910.

The Editor,
Portsmouth Herald,
Portsmouth, N. H.

Dear Sir:
1. It has come to the attention of
the undersigned that upon the occa-
sion of the escape of a prisoner from
this place some time ago such prison-
er was aided to make good his es-
cape and was given clothing, by per-
sons resident in this vicinity. This
office is disposed to ask your assis-
tance in bringing the law of the United
States on this subject to the atten-
tion of the public.

2. Section 1552 Revised Statutes of
the United States reads:

"Any person who shall entice or pro-
cure or attempt to entice or procure,
any seaman or other person in the
naval service of the United States or
who has been recruited for such ser-

vice, to desert therefrom, or who shall
in anywise aid such seaman or other
person in deserting, or in attempting
to desert from such service, or who
shall harbor, conceal, protect, or in
anywise assist any such seaman or
other person who may have deserted
from said service, knowing him to
have deserted therefrom, or shall re-
fuse to give up and deliver such per-
son on the demand of an officer au-
thorized to receive him, shall be pun-
ished by imprisonment for not less than
six months nor more than three years
and by a fine of not more than two
thousand dollars, to be enforced in
any court of the United States having
jurisdiction."

3. All prisoners here confined are
in the Naval Service of the United
States, and attempting to escape, or
escaping, is attempting to desert or
desertion as the case may be.

4. This office will use every effort
to bring to justice any person violat-
ing the statute above quoted.

Very truly yours,
HENRY LEONARD,
Major, U. S. M. C., Commanding.

ELECTRIC ROADS DEFIED THE POLICE

Pittsfield, Mass., Feb. 11.—Defying
Pittsfield board of aldermen, the
Pittsfield Street Railway Co. Thurs-
day operated its cars over the sec-
tions of its road which were ordered
abandoned by the aldermen at a
meeting Wednesday night. Following
the accident, to one of the com-
pany's cars at Dalton Wednesday, in
which one passenger was killed and
25 others severely injured, the board
of aldermen held a special meeting
and passed an order forbidding the
operation of the company's cars on
the Country Club branch and the
Lake avenue line.

When the cars came out of the car
barns for first trip, Thursday morn-
ing, policemen stationed at the begin-
ning of the Country Club branch and
the Lake avenue line, ordered the
car crews to take the cars back to
the barns. An hour later, however,
the company began running its cars

over the lines which the aldermen
ordered suspended.

In taking this step the company
claims that it is acting within its
legal rights. The officials of the com-
pany contend that they have the right
of appeal to the state board of rail-
road commissioners and pending this
appeal, they have the right to operate
cars.

When the municipal authorities
learned that the street railway com-
pany was defying the board of alder-
men, there was a conference of the
city's legal representatives and it was
reported that arrests were to follow.
George W. Bishop of the state board
of railroad commissioners, who is
here investigating Wednesday's ac-
cident at Dalton, said, when question-
ed regarding the right to operate its cars,
that the point would have to be passed
upon by some of the lawyer mem-
bers of the commission.

It was announced at the House of
Mercy that an improvement was
shown in the condition of all the in-
jured who were taken to the hospital
yesterday.

Complaints of poor service by the
railroad company have been regis-
tered repeatedly by those affected,
among them United States Senator
W. Murray Crane.

State Railroad Commissioner George
M. Bishop, the practical railroad man
of the board, arrived in Pittsfield and
met first at the Wendell Hotel the
transportation committee of the Mer-
chants' Association, which has been
foremost in making complaints
against the Pittsfield Street Railway
Company's service. Among others
who met Mr. Bishop at the conference
were Fred G. Crane and the Dalton
selectionmen.

After this conference Mr. Bishop
met President Peter C. Dolan and the
full board of directors of the Pittsfield
company, and was with them until 10
o'clock. At its conclusion Mr. Bishop
said to the newspaper men:

"The directors are now in executive
session. They are to take action on
this matter, and will report to me
Thursday in writing their future pol-
icy of management and proper equip-
ment."

STRUCK STONE'S ROCK

The three masted schooner, Grace
Davis bound for Bangor, with a car-
go of superphosphate, had a narrow
escape from serious damage Wednes-
day morning, when she struck near
Stone's Rock. She was first observed
about 5 o'clock in the morning, and a
telephone message to the village of
York brought several men to the
scene. The captain of the schooner
gave as the reason for his craft strik-
ing, a disabled rudder. She floated
off without apparent danger and pro-
ceeded on her way. It was a close
call, however.

The question of placing the hook
and ladder truck under the quick hitch
has caused a difference of opinion
among the firemen.

AFTER the dentist has re-
paired the damage your
teeth have suffered through
neglect, the daily use of

Dr. Lyon's
PERFECT
Tooth Powder
will cleanse, preserve and
beautify them, without in-
jury, and impart purity
and fragrance to the breath.

QUICK HITCH TO HOLD OVER

(Continued from page one.)

of about twenty cents in the taxes,
and he thought that with the present
small fire loss that it was well enough
to let the department remain as it
is.

In reply to Councilman Stoddard,
Mr. Trafton said that the present
truck was all right, but a little heavy,
and it should have three horses in
winter.

Councilman White was opposed to
any change, and claimed that the
firemen he had consulted did not con-
sider it necessary. One had made
the suggestion, and he thought it a
good one, that the hook and ladder
truck be shifted with the engine ar-
rangement, so that the engine be hauled to the
fire by the call horses, as there was more
need of the ladders than the engine,
as the streams could be taken from
the hydrants. He thought that they
should go slow, as the time was com-
ing when motor trucks would be bet-
ter than horse-drawn affairs.

Councilman Stoddard wanted the
price of the motor ladder truck found
out.

Councilman Littlefield said that he
had been on the department for years
and that he considered that it would
be poor policy to do away with the
engine and was sure that the ladder
truck was needed at the fires early.

After all the discussion the motion
to pass the bill to its second reading
was defeated and it went to the com-
mittee on bills on second reading.

Claim Adjusted.
Councilman White for the commit-
tee on claims reported favorably on
the claim of S. A. Marcy, for damage
done to a cellar on McDonough street
through defective city sewer.

Wanted Notice on Tax Exemption
Cases.

Councilman Stoddard offered a res-
olution to the effect that each member
of the council be notified in writing
at least ten days in advance of any
meeting where any action for tax
exemption was to be taken.

Councilman Trafton wanted it sent
to the committee on bills of second
reading, but Mr. Stoddard moved that
it pass and on motion a roll call was
necessary and the resolution was de-
feeted and goes to committee on bills
on second reading. Those voting in
the affirmative were Littlefield, Stod-
dard and Brewster; negative Trafton,
Leary, Smart, Bailey, Locke and
White.

Wanted Information From Board of
Health.

Councilman Leary stated that at
the last meeting there was a question
raised over the Board of Health pur-
chasing goods out of the city and as
the chairman was present he asked
that he be called upon to inform the
council in the matter.

Councilman Trafton explained that
there was some members present who
wanted to go away and asked that the
other business be postponed.

On motion of Councilman Bailey
it was voted to adjourn to Feb. 23,
and after the annual report of the
city auditor had been received and ac-
cepted and ordered printed the coun-
cil adjourned.

SHERMAN MOTION PICTURES

Plays to Capacity of Music Hall.

The mid-weekly show of the Sher-
man Motion Picture Co., is growing
in strength as well as in favor. The
vaudeville this week are all headlin-
ers. Blanche Parquette and Benj.
Loring, late of a well known musical
company, made a big hit with their
comedy sketch. This is their first ap-
pearance in vaudeville and they have
met with remarkable success. Tom-
my Fleming a contortionist; and David-
son and Steward, a comedy sketch
team, was well appreciated by the au-
dience.

The moving picture program in-
cludes the best in the American and
European product. The program for
Saturday will include nothing but the
best films obtainable.

Cadillacs have the best out. Sim-
ple, economical and heavy enough to
be durable for which it is noted.

LIGHTNING CAUSES DAMAGE ON STEAMSHIP

Boston, Feb. 11.—Lightning struck
steamship Devonian Thursday night
while she was on her way into this
port from Liverpool and splintered her
topmast and nearly caused the death
of Second Officer Hagestead, who was
on the bridge.

The topmast was split into three
pieces and big fragments fell upon
the bridge, the captain's cabin and
on deck.

Sailors were alarmed by the crash
of lightning and the constant playing
of St. Elmo's fire about the ship for
hours during the night.

The ship arrived Thursday after-
noon with a bad list to port as the
result of a shift of heavy cargo soon
after she left the British coast when
the vessel encountered a gale.

Thursday night about 150 miles off
this port the Devonian encountered
an electrical storm. The air seemed
filled with electricity.

About midnight, with a crash and
dare of lightning, a bolt struck the
foremast. The topmast is of wood
and the lower mast of steel. A piece
of the topmast that fell on the bridge
barely missed Second Officer Hage-
stead. He was partly stunned by the
shock, as the lightning went down
the steel mast close to the bridge.

Another big splinter struck the
cabin of Capt. Traut, who was in his
bunk, and rushed on deck to find
the crew terrified.

Thomas J. Breen of Malden, one of
the passengers, said: "It was an aw-
ful experience. I never care to repeat
it."

THE BOWLERS

Catholic Union and Royal
Arcanum Divide Points
--General Averages and
Standings of Teams
and Individuals.

The Catholic Union and Royal Ar-
canum bowling teams split even on
Thursday evening's game, the Catho-
lic Union taking the second string and
total pin full, while the R. A. took the
first and third strings, making a gar-
rison push in the last string. They
were even down to the last pair, and
Boyd, who was substituting for Ren-
ner, captured a spare and got nine
pins on the first ball, leaving another
spare with deadwood in front, but
while he hit the deadwood it flew off
without disturbing the pin. He how-
ever got enough to win the string.
Boyd was tie with McWilliams for high
strings.

The score:

	Catholic Union.		Royal Arcanum.
Capstick	86 75 79 240	P. Hersey	72 72 81 225
McWilliams	77 96 85 258	Woods	82 80 77 249
Loach	81 76 94 251	F. Hersey	82 87 80 235
R. Kirvan	98 80 75 253	Ladd	91 80 80 251
J. Kirvan	70 80 79 229	Boyd	79 83 96 258
Totals	412 415 412 1239		

The second half of the club bow-
ling league schedule started this week
with the teams in the lowest ball
making a decided improvement in
their bowling and pulling up on the
leaders. The P. A. C. still hold first
place with 17 points, but the Royal
Arcanum are a close second with 16
and that with their star roller ab-
sent. The Maplewoods are now in
third place with the Country Club
but a point behind and the Catholic
Union leads the Elks by two points.

Renner still leads the individual av-
erage, but only a fraction of a point
over Ham, who this week captured
the single and three string high re-
cord. This week's rolling has made
some changes in the individual av-
erages some of the high men having
a bad drop.

At the present time the champion-
ship is anybody's, for which the two
leaders are in a better position with
reverses they can easily lose their
lead.

The standing of the teams are:

Team.	Pts. Won.	Average
P. A. C.	17	412 13-18
Royal Arcanum.	16	421 15-18
Maplewoods.	12	422 17-18
Country Club.	11	415
Catholic Union.	9	408 10-18

The individual averages:
Renner, Royal Arcanum, 93 3-15
Ham, Maplewood, 93
Fernald, Maplewood, 91 5-6
Dass, Country Club, 91 17-15
J. Kirvan, Catholic Union, 88 30-18
Whitehouse, Maplewood, 86 7-8
Boyd, Royal Arcanum, 86
Stetson Elks, 85 7-8
Mitchell, P. A. C., 85 16-18
W. Woods, Royal Arcanum, 85 4-18
Loach, Catholic Union, 85
Launprey, P. A. C., 84 1-18
G. Woods, P. A. C., 84 11-18
Lyons, Elks, 84 2-15
Capstick, Catholic Union, 84 2-18
Kershaw, Country Club, 84
P. Hersey, Royal Arcanum, 83 12-18
P. Hersey, Royal Arcanum, 82 2-18
Dondoro, Elks, 82 2-9
Winn, Maplewood, 82 1-15

The reason for this is that the An-
nos of all demanded because of many
of the reciprocating parts of Cadillac
cars precluded the possibility of at-
tempting to make use of ordinary ma-
chinery.

"Another feature of our methods
that holds absorbing interest for the
manufacturer and engineer is the ex-
treme fineness and marvelous accuracy
of our measurements. The unit, as the
motor car world pretty generally
knows, is the thousandth part of an
inch. Gauges and micrometers by
which the various parts are sized are
set by a combination of standards
which we believe to be the most ac-
curate in the world. These are manu-
factured in Sweden, and the process
is so painstaking that but a few sets
can be produced each year."

Pure Milk 5c qt at Cummings' Mar-
ket.

EASTER BONNETS MAY BE SCARCE

Millinery Workers in New York
Threaten to Strike

New York, Feb. 11.—A famine in
Easter bonnets is now threatened.
The walking delegate of the millinery
workers said last night:

"The millinery workers, an army
of five thousand girls, are now or-
ganizing for a general strike. They
are now employed in trimming and
braiding straw hats, and if they quit
work, there won't be any of the new
style hats fit to wear.

"What will be the result? Well, in
the first place there won't be any
Fifth avenue Easter day parade this
year, and, secondly, it will make the
husbands wish for a millinery strike
every Easter holiday. They'll save
money by it.

"The girl peckle workers went on
strike and won; the shirt waist girls
did likewise, and now the hat trim-
mers are in a striking mood for the
betterment of conditions."

THE AULD CASE VERDICT TODAY

Washington, Feb. 11.—Assistant
Secretary of the Navy Winthrop said
last evening he expected to have the
papers in both the Auld and Rohmelt
court martial cases this morning, and
that a statement regarding the ver-
dict might be given out some time
today.

Mr. Winthrop's examination of the
evidence will follow the consideration
of the papers by the judge advocate
general's office. Secretary Meyer will
finally approve the verdicts or direct
that they be modified.

All kinds pickled, salt and smoked
Fish at Cummings' Market.

THE CORPORATION TAX

Solicitor F. O. Crossman of the
United States Internal revenue bu-
reau has received the following no-
tice from Washington:

The attention of collectors of Internal
revenue and others is called to the
provisions of Section 38 of the
Act of August 5, 1909, requiring cor-
porations, joint stock companies, as-
sociations and insurance companies,
subject to the special excise tax
therein imposed, to render the pre-
scribed return of their gross and net
income for the calendar year 1909,
on or before the first day of March,
1910; and to the penalties imposed by
the eighth paragraph of said Section
28, for neglect or refusal to render
such return, or for rendering a false
or fraudulent return.

On receipt of this circular collec-
tors will, so far as possible, and with-
out further expense to the govern-
ment, see that notice of these pro-
visions of the law are given through
the public press to all such corpora-
tions, joint stock companies, associa-
tions and insurance companies.

Where the prescribed returns are
given through the public press to all
such corporations, joint stock com-
panies, associations and insurance
companies.

Where the prescribed returns are
received after March 1, 1910, the en-
velopes bearing postmarks showing
the time of mailing shall be preserv-
ed, each attached to the return con-
tained therein and forwarded as a
part thereof to this office.

As stated in Article 6 of Regula-
tion No. 31, blank forms for making
the required returns will be furnis-
hed, on application, by Collectors of
Internal Revenue; and a failure to
receive such blanks, and to make the
required return within the prescribed
time, will not relieve the corporation,
joint stock company, association or
insurance company from the penal-
ties imposed for a failure to make
such return.

WAS WELL KNOWN HERE

Miss Sadie E. Bridges of York, for
some years the telephone operator
there, was married on Thursday eve-
ning at Bar Harbor to Arthur Higgins
of that town. They will reside there.

Cranberries 5c qt at Cummings' Mar-
ket.

Boston & Maine R.R.

In Effect October 6, 1909.

PORT BOSTON—3.25, 6.25, 7.25, 8.25, 10.00, 10.00 a. m., 1.52, 6.00, 6.37, 7.24, 8.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.00, 10.00 a. m., 1.52, 6.00, 6.37, 7.24, 8.00, 10.00 p. m.

Returning, Leave Boston—7.30, 8.47, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 4.55, 6.00, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.00, 10.00 a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

FOR PORTLAND—6.55, 10.15 a. m., 2.51, 8.50, 11.45 p. m. Sunday—7.15, 10.15, 11.45 p. m.

Returning, Leave Portland—7.30, 8.47, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.00, 10.00 a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

FOR MANCHESTER AND CONCORD—8.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.

Returning, Leave Concord—7.15, 10.25 a. m., 2.30 p. m.

FOR YORK BEACH—7.40, 11.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.35 p. m.

Returning, Leave York Beach—6.40, 9.55 a. m., 1.00, 3.45 p. m.

FOR SUMMERSWORTH AND ROCKFORD—6.55, 9.40 a. m., 2.42, 5.22 p. m.

Returning, Leave Rockford—6.10, 9.25, 11.45 a. m., 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—6.25, 8.45, 10.15, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 4.09, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.00, 7.45 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

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NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 4.09, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.00, 7.45 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

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*May 1 to October 15.
 Wednesdays and Saturdays.
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Hunger and Philosophy

BY DUNCAN H. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

"YOU never can tell what people mean by what they say. It is only by knowing what they mean that you can get a clue."

Being generous is easy enough if you have the opportunity of opportunity provides the wherewith.

Some men think that sharing one another's burdens is truly beautiful when the burden happens to be a jag.

As a general thing, being fat is tantamount to being happy, so there are compensations.

Knowing when you are about to be skinned is a sign that you aren't.

Modest Joys.
 True happiness does not consist in having the town.
 In darning your pants on your face.
 And racking up and down.
 In quietude you may
 Grab off of joy your share
 And get some very fine results
 Without the wear and tear.

This going in the market place
 And standing on your ear
 And trying like one shy of sense,
 In public to appear
 May bring perhaps a passing thrill
 As thus the hours you waste.
 But in the month it later leaves
 A most unpleasant taste.

You need not sit around the house
 And hope or study Greek
 If some amusement, quiet, chaste
 And quite refined, you seek.
 You need not read the almanac
 For jokes of ancient date
 Or even go into the yard
 And test the soil on the gate.

No; there's a happy medium,
 A program large and sane,
 That you may follow out without
 A thought of raising Cain.
 Put on your cap and kiss your wife—
 It may be the lady shock—
 And in the quiet morning take
 A walk around the block.

Quite True.



"What is the most noticeable thing about jokes?"
 "Their age as a general thing."

Superficial.
 "You shouldn't worry about the debts you owe."
 "Do you think so?"
 "I know it."
 "Why shouldn't I?"
 "That is the prerogative of your end boss, and I can assure you that they are attending strictly to it."

For Domestic Use.
 "And so you are married."
 "Yes; I have been married for three years."
 "And how are all your fine spin theories?"
 "I am using homespun ones now."

A Painful Lack.
 "I don't know what is the matter with my business. I wonder if it needs system."
 "No; it isn't."
 "Then what does it need?"
 "Business."

Just.
 Just a little pleasure.
 Just a little pain.
 Just a little sunshine.
 Just a little rain.
 Just a little friendship.
 Just a little love.
 Just a little journey.
 Then the story's told.

In Straight English.
 "What are you drinking these days?"
 "Just aqua pura."
 "Cut it out, my boy."
 "What would you suggest?"
 "Water is good enough for any one."

Exactly.
 "What is a white lie?"
 "White."
 "Yes."
 "Same as any other friend; the one that doesn't get you into trouble."

Sad Case.
 "Why doesn't he marry?"
 "Brown?"
 "Yes."
 "Well, you see, he thinks girls are silly, and he is afraid of widows."

Quite Previous.
 "So Cook never fooled you?"
 "No."
 "And you doubted his story from the first?"
 "Before I heard it."

Getting Experience.
 "What is he fitted for, anyway?"
 "He would make a good soldier."
 "Was he ever under fire?"
 "Yes; at the last four places he worked."

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WANTED

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 17,119

WANTED—To rent, 8 or 10 room house with modern improvements. Inquire at Gas Co. Office. 110,10,11

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Apply at 5 Penhallow St. 12,1,11

TO LET—Tenement, seven rooms with steam heat and bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at Herald office. 117,10,11

TO LET—Store at corner of Bow and Market streets. Apply at this office. 10,1,11

TO LET—Tenement 24 Fleet St., steam heat, rent \$12.50. Will be ready February 24. 10,13,11

TO LET—Stores and storage for furniture etc. Apply to H. A. Clark & Co., Commercial Wharf. 10,1,11

FOR SALE—Three second hand Williams' visible typewriters. Bargains. Inquire this office. 12,1,11

FOR SALE—Vault Door—Iron grating doors and windows in N. M. & Traders' Bank Bldg. Inquire this office. 12,10,11

LOST

MUFF LOST—The party that picked up the muff at Music Hall on Thursday evening can ascertain the owner by calling at this office. The muff is highly prized as a present. C. H. 31,11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sewing machine. An almost new Singer, drop head machine, in reduction. Mrs. T. J. Kirk, Ellis Cottage York Harbor. 31,11

FOR SALE—Slightly worn custom-made dress suit, full silk lined. Charles C. Prescott Box 317, Kittery Me. 10,1,11

FOR SALE—2 driving sleighs 1 small pony, 1 express wagon, 2 light harness 1 express harness; all in good condition. J. L. O. Coleman, 107 Market street. 10,1,11

FOR SALE—Large bank desk formerly used at Portsmouth Savings bank. Inquire at this office.

MISCELLANEOUS

SIGNS—Some large and small signs that can be repainted to suit can be had at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

LODGES and Church societies furnished with moving picture shows at short notice. Apply to MEXAG Music Hall.

LARGE COUNTER—Formerly used in National Mechanics & Traders' Bank can be had at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

DOINGS IN GAY GOTHAM

Fashions Seen at a Carnegie Hall Musical Recital.

AN OLD LADY AND HER SWIRL

The Art of Giving Pleasure—Hints on How to Get on With People Who Find Mrs. A. Haughty and Mrs. B. Snubby—A Peace Crusade.

I reckon all this happens because we see the note in our neighbor's eye, but not the beam in our own.

I know a woman who is the soul of hospitality, but who has such an unfortunately chilly manner that she literally freezes her guests by her apparent coldness, though she is really delighted to see them.

I am going to see what a little personal investigating along friendly lines will do for my own character, and I am going deliberately to set to work to cultivate a pleasant, winning and welcoming manner. The people who possess it are rare. But I think it can be acquired. You, dear, have such a sunny nature that you won't be bothered in this direction, but I am sure that if the rest of us took pains to express our warmest and pleasantest feelings and repress the opposite sensations of coldness and dislike our way in the world would be the brighter for it. We would add to the sunshine of many a dull day, and we would have our own material reward, for people with pleasant ways are always welcome wherever they go. I shall begin my crusade of pleasantness when I don the new house gown I've just had finished and a sketch of which I am inclosing. The frock is such a quaint, demure, lovely affair in dove grey silk and chiffon that I am sure the proverbial bird of peace will hover over me when I wear it.



SOMETHING UNIQUE IN HOUSE FROCK.

Wish you could have heard him play his own arrangement of Schumann's "Wonderer." I've forgotten the German equivalent and Mr. White and Whisky's "Faust Fantasia." Well, it's always merely a step from the sublime to the ridiculous, and an old lady at the recital furnished the comedy part. This ancient specimen was evidently a member of what Dick calls the "submerged Four Hundred," and her years were surely the allotted threescore and ten. The lady, judging from her makeup, had been converted to the doctrine that the date of a woman's birth has nothing to do with her years.

Angels and ministers of grace defend me from such spectacles of bedeviled old age!

What did she wear? The very latest and most unsuitable addition of the mode. Her hair—well, her hair was of nature's coloring. This ancient she had conceded to time, but it was fixed in the extreme swirl style. Imagine seventy years or more of femininity done up in a swirl!

On top of the coiffure rested, or, to be more explicit, roosted, a huge grinning turban ornamented with a pink orchid and a youthful, wildly gay egret. Madam's furs were of the same royal pelt. Her gown was made so modestly dumpy all round as very seriously to impede her tottering steps as she walked down the aisle to her seat.

That old woman's appearance disgusted me more than I should have allowed such a trifle to do.

But has it ever, Elsa, struck you how much you are influenced during the day by the moods of the people around you and the trifles of existence?

If there is a chilly atmosphere at the breakfast table, if you receive a letter—bill would hit the mark nearer—If some little incident jars the harmony of things, it seems to throw you out of gear and makes you, if not downright unhappy, at least awfully uncomfortable for the entire day.

A fit of sulks from the maid, an argument with the butcher, put a cloud on the horizon and give you a dissatisfied, disconsolate feeling which is twin sister to the blues. All these things are trifles, but trifles make up a large part of our life.

There is no getting away from the fact that our happiness depends a great deal upon the moods and tempers of the people we come in contact with and the impression they make upon us.

I can never get on with people when they don't seem pleased with me. I'm terribly sensitive on this point. If I feel that I'm not welcome I simply can't be at my best.

Dick says that I'm foolish on the subject and that you can't always tell from a person's manner what his real feelings are. You may think you can, but you can't.

Mrs. A. he argues, perhaps seems proud and reserved and you never feel at ease with her for fear of being "sat on," when, as a matter of fact, she may be merely dreadfully shy and

more afraid of you than you are of her. But she gives you the impression that she is laughing and distant, and you go away feeling rebuffed.

I've been turning the idea around. If the impression other people make on you has so much to do with your happiness, why, then, the effect you produce on other people must influence them the same way.

Do you know, I don't think we realize this half enough. We don't understand that just as a little coldness or a little temper on the part of somebody else upsets us so does the same thing on our part make others unhappy.

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Don't you think I might suggest the wearing of a peace frock to the members of the Universal Peace-league as a part of its platform? You getting diphtheria, so goodly before you are dreadfully shocked by MABEL.

IN HONOR OF WASHINGTON.
 A Delicious Luncheon to Be Served on Feb. 22.
 An appetizing and attractive menu for a George Washington luncheon would be:

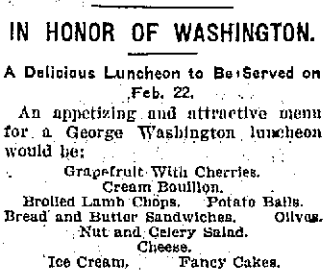
Grapefruit With Cherries.
 Cream Bouillon.
 Broiled Lamb Chops. Potato Balls.
 Bread and Butter Sandwiches. Olives.
 Nut and Celery Salad.
 Cheese.
 Ice Cream.
 Fancy Cakes.
 Coffee.
 Bonbons.

Halve the grapefruit and thoroughly chill it; then sprinkle with powdered sugar and garnish the top with preserved cherries. Serve on blue saucers. In fact, blue dishes should be used for the entire service.

If a few drops of yellow vegetable coloring be added to the bouillon the blue and buff color scheme will be pleasantly reflected.

Decorate the lamb chops with blue and buff paper chop frills. Arrange the potatoes cannon ball style and surmount with a tiny blue and buff flag. Cut the sandwiches out to simulate cocked hats. Serve the salad in blue and buff paper salad cups. Have the ice cream frozen cannon ball shape and decorate each ball with a colorful flag. Ice the cakes with blue and buff.

NEW VEGETABLE SLICER.
 Handy Kitchen Device Which May Be Easily Constructed.
 Any handy man—or handy woman, for that matter—can build a vegetable slicer which will be a great improvement on the rather expensive devices which are shown in the shops. Take



THE SLICER IN OPERATION.

a piece of whitewood, planed very clean, about seven inches or eight inches long and four inches wide, with two stout wire dogs or staples placed as shown in the sketch. With an ordinary table knife slipped through the two staples the cucumber can be cut very rapidly and evenly by pressing the cucumber against the board and sliding it down the blade of the knife, the staples acting as a gauge for the thickness of the slices.

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The preacher arrived and asked a man standing by, who was pretty much of a wag, what sort of man the lawyer had been. The wag lauded the lawyer to the skies. The preacher believed all he said, arose and pronounced a poetic eulogy of the departed barrister. When he had heard all he could stand to hear without unbending himself to some one present, the judge of the court, in that town turned over to a lawyer who sat beside him and remarked:

"Well, there's mighty little inducement for a really good man to die in this town now."

His Double Affliction.
 In Paris there is a blind man who carries a board bearing this singular sign: "Blind by Birth and by Accident."

"Look here, my good man," said a passerby: "your sign is positively distracting! Can you tell me how you came to be blind by birth and by accident at the same time?"

"Easy enough," said the old man. "You see, I'm blind by birth myself, and I've bought out a blind man who did business at the other end of the bridge. He was blind by accident!"

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Annual Silk Sale Day MONDAY, FEB. 14

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THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE

We shall at this time offer the accumulations of our stock at a very great reduction. Many desirable Silks will be marked at 1/2 of former prices.

It is also the season that we give our customers special advantages in price on the newest effects in Silks. These include Plain and Figured Foulards, Taffetas, China and India Silks, Satin Linings, &c.

The Printed Foulards are in Dress Patterns, only one of each style.

The Special Prices Are For Monday, Feb. 14

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

GRANGE WORK AND SUPPER

District Deputy Roberts Saw the First Degree

Strawberry Bank Grange worked the first degree on six candidates in the presence of District Deputy J. H. Roberts of Rollinsford who critically inspected the work and made a speech of praise on Thursday evening.

A chafing dish supper was prepared and served by:

Servers—Mrs. R. E. Hannaford, Mrs. A. O. Benfield, Mrs. Fred Oldfield, Miss Mildred Goldsmith, Mrs. Edward Patterson, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. Frank West, Mrs. George P. Smallwood.

Waitresses—Mrs. Hattie James, Mrs. Arthur Horton, Mrs. John Parker, Miss Maud Browne, Miss Ethel Kennard, Miss Hattie Richardson, assisted by Mr. J. E. Harold, Edward Patterson, Ralph Spiney, R. E. Hannaford.

Following the supper, the lecturer Mrs. George P. Smallwood, presented the following program:

Piano solo, Mrs. Hattie James. Reading, Mrs. Sarah McDuffee. Harmonica solo, J. E. Harold. Reading, Wallace E. Dixon of Elliot.

Original paper written by one of the lady members and read by Mr. Harry Torrey.

All having numbers on the program were recalled.

Visitors were present from Granges at Rye, Elliot, Rollinsford, Rochester, Bethel, Me., and Oxford, Me.

LOCAL DASHES.

Knives sharpened at Horne's.

There's another big storm coming.

Smoke the Warwick 10c cigar, Ed. Brown manufacturer, 38 Market St.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, corner Fleet and Porter Sts. Cater and Benfield's big new electric sign will be another notable ornament to the business section of Portsmouth.

Special for Saturday at Cummings' Market, Water street, Roast Beef 12c lb, Rib Roast 12c lb.

There was a clash on the navy yard workmen's train on Wednesday evening that came near causing a riot for a time.

Fresh Haddies smoked at home, fresh Haddock and Cod, Oysters, pure and contain no ice or water, Halibut, Bels, Tongues and Cheeks, Spawns, Hampton river Clams; will shock while you wait at J. O. Downs.

Strictly fresh country Eggs, 34c doz. at Cummings' Market.

ABOLISH PENSION AGENCIES

Washington, Feb. 11.—Seventeen out of 18 pension agencies scattered over the country are abolished under the terms of the pension appropriation bill reported to the house today, wherein no appropriation is recommended for these offices. The one remaining office is in Washington and the usual appropriation for its maintenance is made.

The 17 agencies thus cut off include those in Augusta, Me., Concord, N. H., and Boston.

Roast Pork, Lamb, Veal, Fowl, Chickens at Cummings' Market, Water street.

NAVY CLERKS

SOCIAL SESSION

Andrew M. Lannigan of Boston Navy Yard Addresses the Gathering

Portsmouth Branch, No. 3, National association of United States civil service employees, gathered in good numbers at the Grand Army hall on Thursday, where they enjoyed a social session following the regular business meeting of the organization.

The attractive feature of the evening was the presence of Andrew M. Lannigan, employed in the clerical force at the Boston navy yard, who gave a very able address on matters pertaining to the organization, imparting some valuable information concerning its welfare in the future. He had his subject well in hand and soon interest prevailed during the space of time he consumed in talking.

The program in full was as follows: Remarks, President C. P. Bodwell.

Address, Andrew M. Lannigan. Piano duet, Messrs. Whitecomb and DeLittle.

Song, John C. Dolan. Reading, Fred L. Trask. Vocal selections, the Hull quartet. The whole affair was pronounced by the employees of Uncle Sam as decidedly pleasing event, which so far eclipsed anything from a social standpoint ever undertaken by the association.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT

The Epworth League of the Methodist church gave a supper and entertainment on Thursday evening which drew patronage that crowded the vestry.

The supper—of scalloped oysters, cold meats, salads, etc., was under the supervision of a committee consisting of Mrs. Inez McIntire, Mrs. C. A. Parmenter, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. C. P. Bodwell, Mrs. R. Bridge, Mrs. J. Bridge, Miss E. M. Paul, Mrs. E. Taylor, Mrs. Annie Howe, Mrs. Keillonbeck. The supper itself was of the finest quality and there was enough to go around, even in such a crowd as was gathered on this occasion.

An entertainment was given, consisting of selections by the boys' orchestra Clyde Robinson and Archie Marshall, violinists, Warren Farmer, pianist, and Harold Wendell, trap drummer; singing by Mr. Crowley, and "The Bachelor's Reverie," given by Mr. Crowley assisted by Miss Gladys Robinson, Mrs. Mae L. Warren, Miss Gertrude Beyer, Miss Gertrude Bridge, Miss Elizabeth Locke, Miss Miriam Schuman, Miss Almira Gardner, Miss Henrietta Beyer, Mrs. Marguerite Jenness and Mrs. Inez McIntire. The entertainment committee was Mrs. Elizabeth Locke and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Just received this week, 25 more cases of those fifteen cent Pens, 10c can at Cummings' Market.

AT NAVY YARD

Blasting on Site for Hospital

To Survey the Marietta at Norfolk

Sent to Navy Prison

Twenty prisoners were transferred on Thursday from the prison ships Southern and Topeka to the naval prison.

Forty-Five Men at Work

The first blasting on the site for the new hospital took place on Thursday by the contractors who now have forty-five men at work on the excavating there.

Clerks Up and Doing

The clerks' association have recently taken on much activity and its meeting on Thursday evening was certainly a busy one socially and otherwise.

What's Sticking Again

It is now stated that the U. S. S. Marietta, due to arrive here this month for a general overhauling, will be surveyed at the Norfolk yard. What's this mean?

Must Protect Their Eyes

The navy department has decided to make it compulsory for all workmen to wear suitable eye protectors when engaged in work liable to injure the eyes. Flying particles of metal or other material and other causes have brought injuries to the eyes of the workmen in the past, and in many cases the government has been held responsible for damages.

Everybody Knew and Liked Him

Much sympathy is expressed all about the yard in the death of John Glover. No man in the civil end of the reservation was better known and liked than Mr. Glover who served the government many years most faithfully.

He Makes a Good Soldier

The recent arrival at the marine barracks with a detachment of marines from New York is said to be an Indian, who hails from the reservation at Syracuse, N. Y., by the name of Hills. He is a private in the ranks, a good soldier and a favorite among the men at the post.

Coming Along Fast

A detachment of prisoners from Philadelphia, New York and other stations came for the Southern today.

JOHN T. GLOVER

Death of Well Known Aged Citizen
Early This Morning

John F. Glover, aged seventy-four years, two months and nineteen days, died early this morning at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Albion Goodrich, on Dennett street, after several months illness.

Mr. Glover for many years was a resident of Kittery and known to everybody in that town as a most respected and esteemed citizen and his death is a source of grief to a host of life-long acquaintances on both sides of the river.

He was employed at the navy yard

as far back as the days of the Civil war when he had charge of the market boat before the days of steam. He was also connected with the famous old yard tug, Leyden, and ran many years as fireman and engineer on the ferry boats Emerald and No. 132. He was a valuable man in a position in which he was placed and lived a life that is an example for any man.

His wife and one daughter survive. The funeral will be held from the home, No. 12 Dennett street, Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

WENT TO DOVER

Members of Arcanum Council and Their Ladies Who Took Trip

The members of the local council of the Royal Arcanum and their ladies, who went to Dover on Thursday night are:

Deputy Supreme Regent Daniel R. Beckford Past Grand Regent and Mrs. Harry N. Yenton, Grand Chaplain and Mrs. Frank E. Leavitt, State Medical Examiner and Mrs. Fred S. Towle, Regent and Mrs. E. P. Lawrence, Vice Regent and Mrs. Samuel Gilkey, Secretary and Mrs. Fred T. Hartson, Warden and Mrs. Fred Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Towle, Mayor Edward H. Adams Miss Anna G. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Nelson, City Clerk and Mrs. Lamont Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edson, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. William Kershaw, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brown, Mr. William Conlon, Miss Myrtle Varrell, Mr. David McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hubbard, Henry Gerish.

SPECIALS AT CATER AND BENFIELD'S SATURDAY

Best quality Cape Cod cranberries 25c. 3 large cans tomatoes 25c. 3 large cans evaporated milk for 25c. Roasts of beef from 19c. 1b. up. Corned beef from 5c. 1b. up. Cucumbers 10c. each. Fresh pork loins only 15c. 1b. Spanish onions 5c. 1b. Flannan Haddie 10c. 1b. Baldwin apples 25c. pk. Legs lamb 17c. 1b. Fores lamb 10c. 1b. Wm. Tell flour 85c. bag. Large navel oranges 45c. doz. Extra fancy large grape fruit 4 for 25c. 2 large cans dandelions 25c. Fancy Preserved raspberries in glass jars, the 35c. kind only 25c. a jar.

Priced for Saturday only at Cater and Benfield's.

PLUCKY DRIVER

Held to the Reins While Horse Dragged Him Through the Street

Duncan Brooks, living on Broad street, had a lively experience this forenoon while driving along Market street.

When passing near Ladd street the runners of his sleigh caught in the tracks of the street railway and Mr. Brooks was thrown out. The sleigh tipped over and the horse started on a lively pace up the street. The driver, however, had a good grip on the reins and held on until the horse was brought to a standstill in front of the fruit store of B. M. Tilton. Mr. Brooks though dragged several feet along the street received nothing more than a lively shaking-up. Little damage occurred to the sleigh.

REV. MR. FARMER

Invited to Stay a Fifth Year With the Church in Portsmouth

At the last quarterly conference of the year held Tuesday night, the Methodist parish unanimously voted to request that Rev. George W. Farmer be assigned to this parish for a fifth year.

The District Superintendent, Rev. Roscoe Sanderson of Dover, presided. The church finances were found in good condition.

Some more of that Corned Beef, 4c. 1b. at Cummings' Market.

MISS MARY AND THE RAT

Heroism of a Deer Street Lady with a Bed Slat

It has always been stated that nothing will send more terror to the heart of a woman than the appearance of a rat, even lightning and thunder being a secondary issue compared with a big fat animal of the rodent species.

There is one of the female sex, however, who resides on Deer street that appears to have something on her friends when it comes to doing battle with Mr. Rat. A short time ago, while quietly doing her chamber work one of these old boarders in the house suddenly appeared on her bed, and sat there in defiance of everybody, apparently ready for battle, and he got it. There was no outcry from the woman, who quietly closed the door to prevent his escape, lifted a slat from her bed and began a few flank movements with his Ratship.

When she really got in action there was more noise in the room than is produced in an up to date cooper shop.

Nobody got inside till the job was completed and Mr. Ratlets, as big as a young cat, had gone down for the count forever.

If any of these pests introduced in America from the old world think they have anything on Miss Mary, all they have to do is to call at her room when she has a few spare moments to swing a small part of the bed.

PERSONALS.

William J. Mead is confined to the home by illness.

G. S. Locke of Concord was in this city this morning.

Mrs. Arthur Whiting and son Wayne are passing the week with Concord relatives.

Mrs. Herman Fierham has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Costigan, in Boston.

Mr. Orrin Rice, who has been confined to her home by illness, is improving.

Mrs. Locke of Belmont has been the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tucker on Marcey street.

Mrs. Tarleton and daughter have moved from the Puttignov house on Islington street to the Marston house on State street.

Cesar Adams, who is engaged in hotel work at Haverhill, Mass., has been passing a few days in town with relatives.

Mr. Kramer, the new head of the cloak and suit department at the G. B. French store, has taken charge of his department.

William D. Chandler, publisher of the Concord Monitor and Mrs. Chandler, quietly observed their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

One pound best Tea 35c at Cummings' Market.

MILITIA OFFICERS, COMMISSIONS

The commissions have arrived for Israel H. Washburn, first lieutenant, and Clarence P. Bodwell, second lieutenant, in the First Company, Coast Artillery Corps, New Hampshire National Guard.

Try a cup of our 22c Coffee at Cummings' Market.

We Conduct Our Business

On a liberal, broad-gauge basis. We do so because we want satisfied users of gas. We want satisfied users of our products, because they are valuable aids in extending our business.

We Bend Every Effort

To cater to your needs and you will find us ready and willing to remedy, in the shortest possible space of time, any condition connected with our service, which in your judgement gives you just cause for complaint.

We Need Your Help

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